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DETAILED ACTION

SUPPLEMENTAL EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Robert Morishita on 2/9/07.

The application has been amended as follows:

Applicant's Claims:

Claim 21, "10 - 12. said", in page 18 line 10 should be --10 - 12; said--.

Claim 21, "“10 - 12. issuing”, in page 18 line 12 should be --10 - 12; issuing--.

Conclusion

The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

Marta (US 6,394,901) and Berman (US 6,761,353) disclose slot machines configured to play dice games.

Bonito (US 5,931,471), Moore (US 5,829,748), Moody (US 6,802,508), and Stasi (US 6,655,689) disclose modified games of craps.

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Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jasson H. Yoo whose telephone number is (571)272-5563. The examiner can normally be reached on 8:30-5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Olszewski Robert can be reached on (571)272-6788. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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